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Application No. 09/977,715-Conf. #3306	Filing Date October 12, 2001	Examiner L. B. Zhen	Art Unit 2194		
Applicant(s): David S. Allison					
Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR COMMUNICATION TO THREADS OF CONTROL THROUGH STREAMS					
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b> Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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**REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.111**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 19, 2006, please reconsider this application in view of the following.